

Prattville Plumas Co. Cal.

July 11, 1878.

Mr. Watson,

Dear Sir,

I send you another small package of plants. Many of them are new "finds," to me. I have numbered a part of them, I have the names of the unnumbered ones.

476. *Drosera* ~~*longifolia*~~ ^{*Anglicana*} Big Meadows July 4, 1878.

Corydalis baseana Gray. " " " " " "

477. *Aconitum* (*Fischeri*) ? " " " " " "

478. *Thalictrum* ^{*parviflorum*} ~~?~~ ^{Gray.} This I think, the same species, in fruit, that I sent in the last pkg., from Lassen County. This was found at the Big Springs, July 4th. It grows in the Willows & Alders, near the water. It is a very frail plant, growing from four to six feet high, supporting itself, by growing in, & resting against the thick growth of bushes. The one sent from Butterfly Cal, in 1876, grows in open moist meadows, and is much more robust in its habit, the leaves are darker green, sometimes tinged with red or a maroon color.

479. Banks of river, July 4th 79 *Galium boreale*, L.

480. Swamps, Big Meadows, July, 4, '79

481. *Artemisia ludoviciana* Greene, " "
var. Douglasiana

- occidentalis, Wats.*
- 482 *Silene* Hills, near Meadows, June 16, '78
- 483 *Erigeron* ^{*apiculatus, Gray*} May have sent this from Spanish Peak, last year.
- 484 *Louisa* ^{*depressa, Torr.*}
- 485 *Louisa* ^{*curvifolia, Bth.*} Have sent both of these before, but have only one name I should think they were different species.
- 486 *Antirrhyn* ^{*fulvum*} Mountains near the Meadow, June, '78.
- 487 *Phlox* ^{*Douglasii, var. diffusa*} Summit Mts. East of Meadows, Alt. 6000 feet.
- 488 *Lilium* *Mallii*
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- 490 *Galeum* *bispinum, Watson*
- 491 *Symphoricarpos* *oreophilus, Gray*
- 492 *Trochium* *maritimum, L.* Swamps, Big Meads. July 7, '78
- 493 *Botula* *granulosa* New to Calif.
- 494 *Quercus* *ilicifolia?* ^{Redwood grove} Indian Valley, Apr, '78
- 495 *Astrag.* *lychnis* ^{*Ranunc. multifidus, Phoebe*} ^{new to Calif.}
- 496 Hills, near Big Meads June 20, '78
- 497 *Cardamine* ^{*Benhamia Californica, var. platystigma*} ? This must be different from *b. paucisecta*. It was found at an altitude of near 6000 feet, growing in a lava slide, ~~on~~ I could not get any roots, as the hill was so steep, and the lava so loose, that it would slide in, faster than I could remove it.
- 498 Mts, *Pentstemon* *agrocens, Bth.*
- 499 *Cnicus* *Andersonii*

Please let me hear if the packages reach you safely.

Yours sincerely
B. M. Austin